

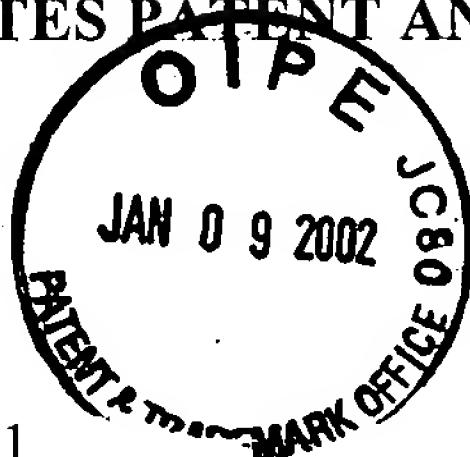
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: HUYN

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TITLE: METHODS FOR EFFICIENTLY
MINING BROAD DATA SETS FOR
BIOLOGICAL MARKERS



EXAMINER:

ART UNIT: 1645

CONFIRMATION NO.: 7296

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Attention: Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division

Dear Sir:

REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

1. The applicant hereby replies to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application," mailed December 14, 2001. A copy of the Notice is enclosed. In reply to the Notice, the applicant submits:

- (a) the basic filing fee of \$370.00;
- (b) surcharge fee of \$65.00;
- (c) additional claims fee of \$324.00;
(Total claims: $42 - 20 = 22 \times \$9.00 = \198.00 ;
Independent claims: $6 - 3 = 3 \times \$42.00 = \126.00 ;
 $\$198.00 + \$126.00 = \$324.00$)
- (c) assignment recordation fee of \$40.00;
- (d) a combined declaration and power of attorney signed by the inventor;
- (e) assignment and assignment recordation form cover sheet; and
- (f) information disclosure statement along with PTO Form 1449 and art cited thereon.

2. Enclosed is a check for \$799.00. The check covers the filing fee (\$370.00), the surcharge (\$65.00), the additional claims fee (\$324.00), and the fee for recording the assignment

37 CFR 1.8

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:
Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on Dec. 28, 2001

Signature: Tracy E. Crispino

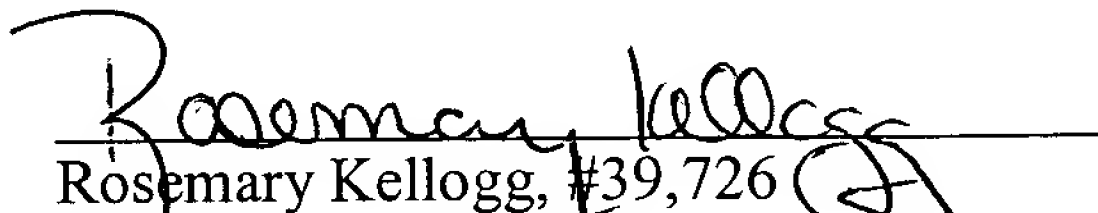
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(\$40.00). The foregoing fees are calculated as a small entity. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The undersigned hereby authorizes the charge of any required fees not included or any deficiency of fees submitted herewith to be charged to deposit account No. 19-5117.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 28, 2001


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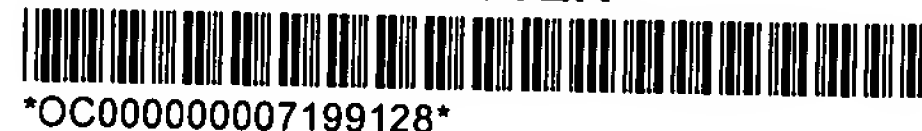
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$324.
 - \$198 for 22 total claims over 20.
 - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 759.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*


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